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March 20, 2019

Ms. Heidi Altman
Director of Policy
National Immigrant Justice Center
208 S. LaSalle Street, Suite 1300
Chicago, IL 60604

RE: Freedom of Information Act request

Dear Ms. Altman,

This office received two (2) requests for records dated May 13, 2019, and made in accordance with the Virginia Freedom of Information Act (§ 2.2-3704.B et seq.). The information furnished will range from January 1, 2017, to present, as specified in your requests. Each request is addressed below:

Written documentation of any requests for a waiver of contract provisions (as described on page nine of DHS OIG report OIG-19-18) submitted to, received from, or exchanged between the town of Farmville, U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement and/or the Immigration Centers of America (ICA) with regard to the Farmville immigration detention facility. Immigration Centers of America is a privately capitalized business entity. ICA is therefore not a "public body" as defined in the FOIA ACT (Virginia Code §2.2-3701) As such, ICA is not subject to information requests under the FOIA ACT. You may contact Jeffrey Crawford, Director of Detention at jcrawford@ica-farmville.com if you have any questions.

Documentation of any approvals, denials, or other responses to such requests described in No. 1. Immigration Centers of America is a privately capitalized business entity. ICA is therefore not a "public body" as defined in the FOIA ACT (Virginia Code §2.2-3701) As such, ICA is not subject to information requests under the FOIA ACT. You may contact Jeffrey Crawford, Director of Detention at jcrawford@ica-farmville.com if you have any questions.

All communications or documents, including electronic communications and attached documents, relating to requests, approvals, or denials of waivers of contract provisions regarding the Farmville immigration detention facility. Immigration Centers of America is a privately capitalized business entity. ICA is therefore not a "public body" as defined in the FOIA ACT (Virginia Code §2.2-3701) As such, ICA is not subject to information requests under the FOIA ACT. You may contact Jeffrey Crawford, Director of Detention at jcrawford@ica-farmville.com if you have any questions.

Any records relating to financial penalties or Contract Discrepancy Reports relating to the Farmville immigration detention facility, as required in accordance with the quality assurance surveillance plan (QASP) included in the contract between ICE and ICA. Immigration Centers of America is a privately capitalized business entity. ICA is therefore not a "public body" as defined in the FOIA ACT (Virginia Code §2.2-3701) As such, ICA is not subject to information requests under the FOIA ACT. You may contact Jeffrey Crawford, Director of Detention at jcrawford@ica-farmville.com if you have any questions.

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Any records of grievances, significant incident reports or complaints filed by detained individuals in Farmville immigration detention facility run by the Immigration Centers of America (ICA).

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Communications, including electronic communications and attached documents, related to the contract between Farmville, Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) and/or the Immigration Centers of America (ICA) with regard to the Farmville immigration detention facility.

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Communications, including electronic communications and attached documents, with Immigration and Customs Enforcement and/or the Immigration Centers of America (ICA) related to the annual inspection of Farmville detention facility, carried out by Nakamoto Group.

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Communications regarding the revenue and/or costs to Farmville accruing from the use of the immigration detention facility.

REVENUE - Attached are the ICA per-diem housing reimbursement amounts that include January 2017 to present. Virginia Code § 58.1-3 Section prohibits the Town of Farmville from releasing any information acquired in the performance of duties with respect to transactions, property, including personal property, income or business of any person, firm or corporation. In accordance

COSTS – This office is not aware of any costs that the Town of Farmville accrues from the use of the ICA

Other than the enclosed information, I am not aware of any documents that are in Farmville's possession that relate to the requested material.

Thank you for contacting this office.

Sincerely,

Lisa M. Hricko
Town Clerk/FOIA Officer

Attachment

ICA-Housing**Housing Days**
Amount-Rec'd-Town**Fiscal Year 2016-17**

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Request#71-Month of July sent in 8-5-16 | \$18,341.00 |
| Request#72-Month of August sent in 9-2-16 | \$18,319.00 |
| Request#73-Month of September sent in 10-5-16 | \$17,716.00 |
| Request#74-Month of October sent in 11-2-16 | \$20,829.00 |
| Request#75-Month of November sent in 12-2-16 | \$23,215.00 |
| Request#76-Month of December sent in 1-5-17 | \$23,268.00 |
| Request#77-Month of January sent in 2-2-17 | \$23,031.00 |
| Request#78-Month of February sent in 3-7-17 | \$22,029.00 |
| Request#79-Month of March sent in 4-3-17 | \$22,563.00 |
| Request#80-Month of April sent in 5-4-17 | \$20,313.00 |
| Request#81-Month of May sent in 6-12-17 | \$20,313.00 |
| Request#82-Month of June sent in 7-5-17 | \$19,421.00 |

FOIA RELEASE
\$249,358.00

ICA-Housing**Housing Days**
Amount-Rec'd-Town**Fiscal Year 2017-18**

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|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Request#83-Month of July | \$20,868.00 |
| Request#84-Month of August | \$22,429.00 |
| Request#85-Month of September | \$21,525.00 |
| Request#86-Month of October | \$22,357.00 |
| Request#87-Month of November | \$20,762.00 |
| Request#88-Month of December | \$21,940.00 |
| Request#89-Month of January | \$20,392.00 |
| Request#90-Month of February | \$17,174.00 |
| Request#91-Month of March | \$18,995.00 |
| Request#92-Month of April | \$18,884.00 |
| Request#93-Month of May | \$19,739.00 |
| Request#94-Month of June | \$20,062.00 |

FOIA RELEASE
\$245,127.00

ICA-HousingHousing Days
Amount-Rec'd-Town**Fiscal Year 2018-19**

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|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Request#95-Month of July | \$21,213.00 |
| Request#96-Month of August | \$21,527.00 |
| Request#97-Month of September | \$19,551.00 |
| Request#98-Month of October | \$21,900.00 |
| Request#99-Month of November | \$21,163.00 |
| Request #100-Month of December | \$22,034.00 |
| Request#101-Month of January | \$22,444.00 |
| Request#102-Month of February | \$20,489.00 |
| Request#103-Month of March | \$23,342.00 |
| Request#104-Month of April | \$23,056.00 |

\$216,719.00

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